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1. There are 2,869 state-owned enterprises in the Russian zone of Germany, distributed over the five states as follows:

Saxony	1023 plants
Saxony-Anhalt	598 "
Brandenburg	480 "
Mecklenburg	387 "
Thuringia	381 "

The last figure includes some concerns in which the State of Thuringia has only part interest; the figure for Saxony-Anhalt includes 79 plants whose ownership has not yet been definitively established.

2. A survey available in the Central Administration of Industry shows the following break-down for the second quarter 1947:

Branch of Industry	Number of Plants	Number of Workers	Turnover in Million RM
a. Saxony			
Plants which are still requisitioned and are finishing up orders for the Soviet Army	472		
Hard coal mines	5	860	8
Foundries	3	450	5
Machine factories	246	38,000	74
Metal goods, vehicle and electro-technical industry	114	26,000	36
Chemical industry	23	4,800	31
Furniture factories and wood industry	92	950	19
Spinning mills and textile mills	16	4,500	15
Ready-made clothing and leather industry	32	1,870	11
Supply industries (Versorgungsbetriebe)	14	8,000	6?

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<u>Branch of Industry</u>	<u>Number of Plants</u>	<u>Number of Workers</u>	<u>Turnover in Million RM</u>
b. Saxony-Anhalt			
Plants closed due to shortage of necessary machinery	50		
Ownership not yet definitively established, but working at present time on Soviet Army orders	79		
Coal mines, cement factories and quarries	117	16,800	24
Machine factories, including agri- cultural machines	85	12,500	19
Supply industries and repair plants	114	18,700	32
Apparatus construction (Apparatebau)	83	2,700	16
Textile industry	70	3,000 approx.	28
c. Brandenburg			
Machine construction	116	8,500	18
Chemical industry	21	2,100	9
Vehicle and agricultural machine industry	186	9,000	21
Apparatus construction	41	5,800	16
Automobile factories and repair shops	83	1,400	6
Supply industries	33	1,700	29
d. Mecklenburg			
Metal goods, machine and vehicle construction	61	2,800	16
Building industry and building materials	18	650	8
Supply industries	136	870	21
Agricultural machines and repair shops	101	600	18
Canneries and other misc. plants	71	1,200	19
e. Thuringia			
Railroad equipment	6	7,800	26
Machinery and apparatus	87	2,600	36
Chemical industry	2	800	11
Mines	17	3,800	24
Furniture and wood industry	143	7,500	63
Toy industry, not counting home- workers	16	1,000	10
Supply (Versorgungsbetriebe) and other branches of industry	91	1,800	31
	19	2,800	16

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